

House Resolution No. 1567

Whereas, it is with special pleasure that the members of the Missouri House of Representatives pause to recognize an outstanding Missouri citizen who has brought great commitment and steadfast dedication to the teaching profession; and

Whereas, Jerry Parrett, an esteemed resident of Kirbyville, Missouri, was recently honored as the proud recipient of the Missouri Association of Rural Education's Outstanding Rural School District Administrator award during the organization's annual conference held at Port Arrow Head Resort in Lake Ozark; and

Whereas, Jerry Parrett has played an integral role in the educational development of several Missouri youngsters as the Superintendent of the Kirbyville R-VI School District for six years, prior to which time he served the school districts of Everton, Bucklin, Galena, and Skyline; and

Whereas, a strong advocate for rural Missouri students, Jerry Parrett devotes every free moment of his time to school children and to finding ways to make their lives better; and

Whereas, during his impressive tenure with the Kirbyville R-VI School District, Jerry Parrett has distinguished himself as a responsible steward of the District's finances, searched for entitlements, written grants, and has lobbied for community assistance to ensure that the best resources are available to both students and teachers alike; and

Whereas, Jerry Parrett has also assembled a quality team of administrators, teachers, and staff in directing the major focus of the District as captured in the three words of its mission statement, "Progressive, Quality Education":

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, unanimously join in extending our most hearty and robust congratulations to Jerry Parrett at this proud moment of well-deserved distinction; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Jerry Parrett.

Offered by _____
Representative Maynard Wallace
District No. 143

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,
Ninety-third General Assembly, First Regular Session, do
certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House
Resolution No. 1567, adopted March 29, 2005.

Rod Jetton, Speaker